# **Case Information**

DC-22-05235 | JERRY HARPER vs. IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP., et al

Case Number Court

DC-22-05235 95th District Court

File Date Case Type

05/17/2022 PROPERTY

Judicial Officer
PURDY, MONICA
Case Status
OPEN

# **Party**

**PLAINTIFF** 

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Lead Attorney
CLEMENT, TODD
Retained

**DEFENDANT** 

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DBA LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB

Address

SERVING REGISTERED AGENT, CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

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DEFENDANT

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AUSTIN TX 78701

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**EXHIBIT** 

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# **Events and Hearings**

05/17/2022 NEW CASE FILED (OCA) - CIVIL

05/17/2022 ORIGINAL PETITION ▼

**ORIGINAL PETITION** 

05/17/2022 CORRESPONDENCE - LETTER TO FILE ▼

**LETTER** 

05/17/2022 ISSUE CITATION ▼

ISSUE CITATION - 2. CLUBCORP, INC.

ISSUE CITATION - 1. IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP.

06/01/2022 CITATION ▼

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## **Documents**

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95TH Non Jury Trial Notice

JERRY HARPER, IN THE DISTRICT COURT Plaintiff, VS. **DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS** IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB AND CLUBCORP, INC., 95th JUDICIAL DISTRICT Defendants.

## PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL PETITION

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW JERRY HARPER, Plaintiff, complaining of IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB AND CLUBCORP, INC., Defendants, and for cause of action would respectfully show unto the Court and jury the following:

#### 1. **RULE 190 DISCOVERY PLAN**

1.1 Damages in this case exceed \$50,000 and it is complex. Accordingly, this case is intended to be conducted under Level 3 of Rule 190.

#### 2. **RULE 47 PLEADING**

2.1 As required by Rule 47, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, the damages sought are within the jurisdictional limits of the Court and Plaintiff seeks monetary relief over \$250,000 but not more than \$1,000,000 plus a judgment for all other relief to which Plaintiff is entitled. The amount of monetary relief actually awarded, however, will ultimately be determined by a jury.

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## 3. PARTIES/SERVICE OF PROCESS

- 3.1 Plaintiff JERRY HARPER resides at 460 Shanwood Drive, Marksville, LA 71351. The last three numbers of JERRY HARPER'S driver's license are 679 and the last three numbers of his social security number are 079.
- 3.2 Defendant IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB is a Texas corporation which may be served through its registered agent for process, Corporation Service Company DBA CSC – Lawyers Inco, 211 E. 7<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 620, Austin, Texas 78701.
- Defendant CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB is a Delaware corporation which engages in business in the State of Texas and has its principal place of business located at 3030 Lyndon B Johnson Fwy, Ste 400, Dallas, Texas 75234. CLUBCORP, INC. may be served through its registered agent for process, Corporation Service Company DBA CSC Lawyers Inco, 211 E. 7<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 620, Austin, Texas 78701.

## 4. VENUE

4.1 The incident forming the basis of this suit occurred in Dallas County and CLUBCORP, INC. principal office is in the State of Texas and is located at 3030 Lyndon B Johnson Fwy, Ste 400, Dallas, Dallas County, Texas 75234. Accordingly, venue is proper in Dallas County pursuant the Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code.

## 5. FACTS

5.1 On or about November 13, 2020, JERRY HARPER joined his son, Todd Harper, along with five other men for a golf weekend at the Las Colinas Country Club in

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Irving, Texas which was owned, managed and/or operated by Defendants. Todd Harper was in a foursome ahead of JERRY HARPER, who only had three in his group, so LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB put a golf pro named Chad with them to make a foursome. After both groups completed hole #9, they stopped for a restroom break. Todd's group stopped first. When Todd walked into the restroom, he noticed standing water on the floor. Todd warned a friend of his to look down as he almost slipped walking in as they were talking. An attendant who was presumably an employee of IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB and CLUBCORP, INC. was present in the restroom and was obviously aware of the standing water and the danger of slipping and falling that it presented. No warning signs were present.

5.2 Shortly after Todd Harper left the restroom and resumed play, JERRY HARPER and his group stopped at the same hole to use the restroom. As JERRY HARPER entered the restroom with Chad, Jerry Harper did not see the water on the floor, slipped on it and fell to the floor with great force hitting his knee and injuring his knee and back (hereinafter the "Fall"). Defendants' manager named David Rems responded to the Fall, completed an incident report, and offered JERRY HARPER Percocet. Following the Fall, signs and mats were belatedly used.

#### 6. CAUSES OF ACTION

6.1 Defendant IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB'S negligence was the proximate cause of the Fall and JERRY HARPER'S injuries and damages. It's wet floor posed an unreasonable risk of harm, IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB knew or reasonably should have known of the danger due to

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its attendant being present, and IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB failed to exercise ordinary care to protect JERRY HARPER from the danger by both failing to adequately warn JERRY HARPER of the condition and failing to make that condition reasonably safe. IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB is liable for the negligent acts and omissions of its employees under *respondeat superior*.

6.2 Defendant CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB'S negligence was the proximate cause of the Fall and JERRY HARPER'S injuries and damages. The wet floor posed an unreasonable risk of harm, CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB knew or reasonably should have known of the danger due to its attendant being present, and CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB failed to exercise ordinary care to protect JERRY HARPER from the danger by both failing to adequately warn JERRY HARPER of the condition and failing to make that condition reasonably safe. CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB is liable for the negligent acts and omissions of its employees under *respondeat superior*.

#### 7. DAMAGES

- 7.1 As a result of the Fall, JERRY HARPER suffered damages in the form of past and future:
  - a. Pain and mental anguish;
  - b. Physical impairment and
  - c. Disfigurement.

### 8. PREJUDGMENT AND POSTJUDGMENT INTEREST

8.1 Plaintiff hereby prays for prejudgment and postjudgment interest in the maximum amount allowed by law on the damages awarded by the jury.

## 9. **JURISDICTION**

9.1 Plaintiff's damages exceed the minimum jurisdictional limits of the Court.

# 10. **JURY DEMAND**

10.1 Plaintiff respectfully requests that a jury be convened to try the factual issues of this case.

## 11. DOCUMENTS TO BE USED

11.1 Pursuant to Tex. R. Civ. P. 193.3(d) and 193.7, Plaintiff gives notice that they intend to use all documents exchanged and produced between the parties and/or made exhibits in depositions including, but not limited to, correspondence, disclosures, and discovery responses, during the trial of the above entitled and numbered cause.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff JERRY HARPER prays that Defendants IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB and CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB be cited to appear and answer herein, and that upon final hearing hereof, Plaintiff receive judgment of and from the Defendants, in the amounts as determined by the Court and Jury, for prejudgment and post-judgment interest at the legal rate, costs of court and for such other and further relief, at law and in equity, to which Plaintiff may show himself justly entitled and for which he will ever pray.

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Respectfully submitted,

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95th

Jerry Harper v. Irving Club Acquisition Corp. D/B/A Las Colinas Country Re:

Club and Clubcorp, Inc.

Dear Clerk:

We have filed Plaintiffs' Original Petition in the above-referenced matter.

Please issue citation(s) to the following Defendant(s):

- 1. Defendant IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP D/B/A LAS COLINAS **COUNTRY CLUB** may be served with process through its registered agent for process, Corporation Service Company DBA CSC - Lawyers Inco, 211 E. 7th Street Suite 620, Austin, Texas 78701.
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Kindly advise when the citation has been issued and uploaded to the Court's eFiling system, as we will serve by private process.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (972) 616-4016 or e-mail me at essie@clementspeer.com.

Very truly yours,

**CLEMENT + SPEER** 

Essie B. Slaughter

Board Certified Paralegal, TBLS

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Paralegal to Todd Clement

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To: CLUBCORP, INC. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB

BY SERVING ITS REGISTERED AGENT, CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

D/B/A CSC-LAWYERS INCO. 211 E. 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET, SUITE 620 AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

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Said Plaintiff being JERRY HARPER

Filed in said Court 17th day of May, 2022 against

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ATTEST: FELICIA PITRE, Clerk of the District Courts of Dallas, County, Texas

By\_\_\_\_\_, Deputy



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211 E. 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET, SUITE 620, AUSTIN, TX 78701, within the county of TRAVIS, by delivering to CLUB CORP, INC., dba LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB, by delivering to its registered agent, CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY dba CSC-LAWYERS INCORPORATING SERVICE COMPANY, by delivering to LANSISHA GROSS employee/managing agent, in person, a true copy of the above specified documents having first endorsed on such copy the date of delivery.

I am over the age of 18, not a party to nor interested in the outcome of the above numbered suit, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Authorized Person: | Expiration Date: 10/

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STATE OF TEXAS }

#### **VERIFICATION**

Before me, a notary public, on this day personally appeared the above named Authorized person, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing document and, being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements and facts therein contained are within his/her personal knowledge and experience to be true and correct. Given under my hand and seal of office on this the 300 day of

Dane McMichae in 47795678 Acris chaster Expirer April 2024

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# IN THE 95TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

CAUSE NO: DC-22-05235

# JERRY HARPER VS IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP, ET AL

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211 E. 7 <sup>TH</sup> STREET, SUITE 620, AUSTIN, TX 78701, within the county of TRAVIS, by delivering to IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP., dba LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB, by delivering to its registered agent, CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY dba CSC-LAWYERS INCORPORATING SERVICE COMPANY, by delivering to employee/managing agent, KAUEISHA CROSS, in person, a true copy of the above specified documents having first endorsed on such copy the date of delivery.
I am over the age of 18, not a party to nor interested in the outcome of the above numbered suit, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
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Authorized Person: Kelly Land; PSC 5912 Expiration Date: 10/31/2022
STATE OF TEXAS }

#### **VERIFICATION**

Before me, a notary public, on this day personally appeared the above named Authorized person, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing document and, being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements and facts therein contained are within his/her personal knowledge and experience to be true and correct. Given under my hand and seal of office on this the 30 day of 300 MNE.

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Notary Public

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<b>v.</b>	§	95th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
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IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP.	§	
D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY	§	
CLUB AND CLUBCORP, INC.,	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

## DEFENDANT CLUBCORP, INC.'S ORIGINAL ANSWER

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW, Defendant CLUBCORP, INC. and files this its Original Answer, and for same would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

# I. **ORIGINAL ANSWER**

Defendant denies each and every, all and singular, the material allegations contained within Plaintiff's pleadings and demands strict proof thereof.

# II. **JURY DEMAND**

In accordance with Rule 216 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, Defendant demands a trial by jury.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Defendant prays that the Plaintiff take nothing by this suit, that Defendant go hence with its costs without delay, and for such other and further relief, both general and special, at law and in equity, to which Defendant may show itself justly entitled.

**EXHIBIT** 

Respectfully submitted,

## MUNSCH HARDT KOPF & HARR, P.C.

/s/ William M. Toles

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# ATTORNEYS FOR DEFENDANT CLUBCORP, INC.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

THIS WILL CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument has been mailed, e-served, telecopied or hand delivered to all attorneys of record in this cause of action on June 27, 2022.

## Via eService

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/s/ William M. Toles

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# DEFENDANT IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB'S ORIGINAL ANSWER

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW, Defendant IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP. D/B/A LAS **COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB** and files this its Original Answer, and for same would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

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> COLINAS COUNTRY CLUB'S **EXHIBIT**

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Plaintiff(s),

VS.

IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP.,

et al,

Defendant(s).

95<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

# **UNIFORM SCHEDULING ORDER (LEVEL 3)**

(Revd. Aug. 22, 2001; 95<sup>th</sup> District Court's 2019 non-standard provisions in **ALL CAPS BOLD**)

In accordance with Rules 166, 190 and 192 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, the Court makes the following order to control the schedule of this cause.

1. This case will be ready and is set for Non-Jury Trial on August 28, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. (the "Initial Trial Setting"). Reset or continuance of the Initial Trial Setting will not alter any deadlines established in this Order or established by the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure unless otherwise provided by order. If not reached as set, the case may be carried to the next week.

Trial announcements must be made in accordance with rule 3.02 Local Rules of the Civil Courts of Dallas County Texas. When no announcement is made for defendant, defendant will be presumed ready. If plaintiff fails to announce or to appear at trial, the case will be dismissed for want of prosecution in accordance with Rule 165a, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

- 2. Pretrial matters will be complete by the following dates:
- amended pleadings asserting a. b. party seeking affirmative relief С. shall designate experts and d. party opposing affirmative relief shall designate experts and party seeking affirmative relief e. shall designation of rebuttal experts f. g.

The parties may by written agreement alter these deadlines **EXCEPT SEE ADDENDUM BELOW**. Amended pleadings responsive to timely filed pleadings under this schedule may be filed after the deadline for amended pleadings if filed within two (2) weeks after the pleading to which

UNIFORM SCHEDULING ORDER (LEV. 3)

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they respond. Except by agreement of the party, leave of court, or where expressly authorized by the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, no party may obtain discovery of information subject to disclosure under Rule 194 by any other form of discovery.

- 3. Any objection or motion to exclude or limit expert testimony due to qualification of the expert or reliability of the opinions must be filed no later than seven (7) days after the close of expert discovery, or such objection is waived. Such motions must be **FILED AND** heard *no later than thirty (30) days prior to trial* (**EMPHASIS ADDED**). Any motion to compel responses to discovery (other than relating to factual matters arising after the end of fact discovery) must be filed no later than seven (7) days after the close of fact discovery or such complaint is waived, except for the sanction of exclusion under Rule 193.6
- 4. Motions for summary judgment or other dispositive motions must be **FILED AND** heard *no later than thirty (30) days prior to trial* (EMPHASIS ADDED).
- 5. Each side may have 75 hours of depositions and each party may have 50 interrogatories, subject to the conditions of Rule 190.3(b)(2) and (3).
- 6. No additional parties may be joined more than eight (8) months after the commencement of this case except on motion for leave showing good cause. This paragraph does not otherwise alter the requirements of Rule 38. The party joining an additional party shall serve a copy of this Order on the new party concurrently with the pleading joining that party.
- 8. Fourteen (14) days before the Initial Trial Setting, the parties shall exchange designations of deposition testimony to be offered in direct examination and a list of exhibits, including any demonstrative aids and affidavits, and shall exchange copies of any exhibits not previously produced in discovery; over-designation is strongly discouraged and may be sanctioned. Except for records to be offered by way of business record affidavits, each exhibit must be identified separately and not by category or group designation. Ten (10) days before the Initial Trial Setting, the parties shall exchange in writing their objections to the opposing party's proposed exhibits, including objections under Rule 193.7, and deposition testimony. On or before ten (10) days before the Initial Trial Setting, the attorneys in charge for all parties shall meet in person to

materials shall be delivered to the Judge's Chambers by 4 p.m. the Thursday before the trial setting direct examination, and any motions in limine. Failure to file such materials may result in dismissal COURT WHEN THE CASE IS CALLED TO TRIAL. for want of prosecution or other appropriate sanction. A courtesy copy of each party's pre trial 166(d)-(m), an estimate of the length of trial, designation of deposition testimony to be offered in before the Initial Trial Setting, the parties shall file with the Court the materials stated in Rule paragraph and attempt to maximize agreement on such matters. By 4 p.m. on the Thursday confer on stipulations regarding the materials to be submitted to the Court under this KALONZO@DALLASCOURTS.ORG WILL ADVISE ALONZO,  $95^{\mathrm{TH}}$ DISTRICT COURT WHAT TO PROVIDE ADMINISTRATOR,

pre-trial conference shall be scheduled the week before the trial setting. confer between counsel, the parties anticipate more time will be needed for a pre-trial conference, a on all matters the parties could not resolve during their meet and confer. If, after the meet and A pre-trial conference shall be conducted from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. the morning of trial

defendants and all parties answering after the date of this order. Plaintiff/Plaintiff's counsel shall serve a copy of this order on any currently named

# Addendum to Scheduling Order

any order to the contrary, the deadline to file and have heard dispositive motions or motions to strike expert witnesses based on qualifications or Daubert/Robinson is 30 days before This deadline cannot be changed by agreement of the parties. Dispositive and Expert Motions Deadline. Notwithstanding any provision in this or

date shall not be grounds for continuance. any lack of preparation for trial resulting from back-loading the deadlines close to the trial deadline, the parties may agree to change other dates in the scheduling order. However, Change by Agreement. Other than the foregoing dispositive and expert motions

date is the date from which the dispositive and expert motions deadline shall be calculate as witness lists, deposition excerpts, motions in limine, proposed charges, etc.). well as deadlines pertaining to exchanging trial materials (e.g., exhibit lists, exhibits, Certain Deadlines Rollover. In the event this case is reset or continued, the new trial

**SO ORDERED** this 3rd day of July, 2022

Monica Purdy

Judge, 95th District Court



#### **MONICA PURDY**

95TH DISTRICT COURT GEORGE L. ALLEN, SR. COURTS BUILDING 600 COMMERCE STREET, 6TH FLOOR DALLAS, TEXAS 75202-4604 (214) 653-6361

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Re: Cause No. DC-22-05235; JERRY HARPER v. IRVING CLUB ACQUISITION CORP., et al.

TRIAL IS SET ON THE COURT'S TWO-WEEK DOCKET, AS FOLLOWS:

NON-JURY TRIAL: 08/28/2023 at 9:00 AM

TRIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 3.02, LOCAL RULES OF THE CIVIL COURT OF DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEN NO ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE FOR DEFENDANT, DEFENDANT WILL BE PRESUMED READY. IF PLAINTIFF FAILS TO ANNOUNCE OR TO APPEAR AT TRIAL, THE CASE WILL BE DISMISSED FOR WANT OF PROSECUTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 165a, TEXAS RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.

COMPLETION OF DISCOVERY, PRESENTATION OF PRETRIAL MOTIONS AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO PREPARATION FOR TRIAL ARE GOVERNED BY THE TEXAS RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.

PLEASE FORWARD A COPY OF THIS NOTICE TO COUNSEL OF RECORD FOR EACH PARTY AND ALL PRO SE PARTIES BY A METHOD APPROVED IN TEXAS RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE 21a.

SINCERELY,

MONICA PURDY

JUDGE, 95TH DISTRICT COURT

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